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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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NATURE OF CALL: ELDER ABUSE ARREST

LOCATION OF CALL: 11540 GARNET, #4, AUBURN

CASE NUMBER: SO 00-21514

SUSPECTS: JUDY EYRICK, 53, PLACERVILLE

## SHERIFF EDWARD N. BONNER RELEASES THE FOLLOWING:

After a lengthy investigation, Detective Corie Quillinan arrested Judy Eyrick of Placerville for a variety of felony charges including elder abuse, theft and burglary. Eyrick was booked into the Placer County Jail on a \$100,000 warrant after being arrested by Quillinan after an interview at the Sheriff's office.

Quillinan reported Eyrick was a caregiver entrusted with the care of an 84-year-old Auburn woman. While in that capacity, Eyrick obtained pertinent information about the victim that allowed her to obtain credit cards in the victim's name that she used to make purchases for herself. Eyrick also purchased a vehicle using the victim's name and information. To date, the losses total over \$40,000 of the elderly victim's money.

This case is an example of the determination with which Placer

County actively investigates any allegation of elder abuse, be it financial, emotional or physical. Placer County now has an Elder Abuse Task Force made up of members from Law Enforcement, District Attorney's office, Adult Protective Services and other agencies dedicated to protecting our senior population.

Anyone with questions about elder abuse or having knowledge of a potential abuse case is urged to call Detective Quillinan at 889-7848.



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